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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of: Letovsky, et al.

Application Serial No.: 09/833,448

Filed: April 12, 2001

Title: Method and System For Broadcast
And Control Of A Remotely Located
Wagering Device

Art Unit: 3713

Examiner: Yveste Cherubin

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir,

The Examiner has issued a restriction requirement in a communication dated December 11, 2002. The period for response expired January 11, 2003. A request for extension of time and applicable fee are being filed timely herewith.

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicants hereby elect, with traverse, Group I (claims 1-34) drawn to interactive gaming system. Applicants note that once the product claims of Group I are found to be allowable, process claims which depend from or otherwise include all of the limitations of allowable product claims will be rejoined.

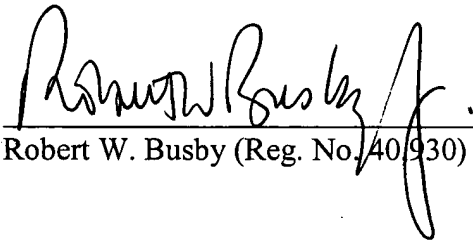
See M.P.E.P. § 821; Official Gazette notice, dated March 26, 1996 (1184 O.G. 86).

Applicants respectfully submit that an examination of both Group I and II would not be unduly burdensome and request a withdrawal of the restriction requirement.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 13-3250, reference No. 30554-05700.

Respectfully submitted,

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